

*California
Commission on Teacher Credentialing*

*Meeting of
December 4-5, 2002*

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: EXEC - 3

COMMITTEE: Executive Committee

TITLE: Commission Policies and Priorities for 2002-03

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 X Discussion

Strategic Plan Goal(s):

Continue to refine the coordination between Commissioners and staff in carrying out the Commission's duties, roles and responsibilities.

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Commission Policies and Priorities for 2002-03

In setting the workload priorities for 2003, Senior Staff met and determined the following priorities. These priorities are in alignment with the Commission's adopted goals and mission statement.

Certification, Assignment and Waivers Division

- Redirection of Staff
- Revised Credential Handbook
- Spring Credential Workshops
- Improved Processing Through Online Renewals

Division of Professional Practices

- Enforcement of Application Requirements
- Implementation of Improved Processing Procedures
- Review of Attorney General Procedures

Office of Governmental Relations

- Use of List Serve for Communications
- Elimination of Professional Press Address Service
- Use of Adult School Print Shop for Publications
- Hand Deliver Communications with Legislature

Professional Services Division

- Implementation of New Standards and Reforms Across Several Credential Areas:
 - Subject Matter Preparation and Examinations
 - Multiple and Single Subject Teaching Credentials
 - Teaching Performance Assessments
 - Pupil Personnel Services Credentials
 - Administrative Services Credentials
- Use of Technology to Enhance the Effectiveness and Efficiency of Document Review
- Focus Accreditation Activities on Initial Institutional Accreditation Under New Standards for the Next Two Years